STATE OF WASHINGTON



OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

In the Matter of)	No. D 02 - 147
Russell W. Kitchen,)	ORDER REVOKING LICENSE
	Licensee.)	

To: Russell W. Kitchen 8642 South D Street Tacoma, WA 98444

IT IS ORDERED AND YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that your license is REVOKED, effective October 6, 2002, pursuant to RCW 48.17.530 and 48.17.540(2).

THIS ORDER IS BASED ON THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. You submitted a check, \$75.00, to the Washington State Insurance Commissioner's office for payment of your insurance agent's license. The check was return from US Bank marked, "NSF."
- 2. The Commissioner sent you written inquiries on or about June 12, and August 9, 2002 asking you to replace the check with a money order or cashier's check. These inquiries related to the business of insurance. You did not respond to any of them. Each such failure to respond promptly in writing violated RCW 48.17.475.

By reason of your conduct, you have shown yourself to be and are so deemed by the commissioner, untrustworthy and a source of injury and loss to the public and not qualified to be an insurance agent in the State of Washington. Accordingly, your license is revoked pursuant to RCW 48.17.070, and RCW 48.17.530(1)(h).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that you return your insurance agent's license certificate to the Commissioner on or before the effective date of the revocation of your license, as required by RCW 48.17.530(4).

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NOTICE CONCERNING YOUR RIGHT TO A HEARING. Please note that a detailed summary of your right to contest this Order is attached. Briefly, if you are aggrieved by this Order, RCW 48.04.010 permits you to demand a hearing. Pursuant to that statute and others: You must demand a hearing, in writing, within 90 days after the date of this Order, which is the day it was mailed to you, or you will waive your right to a hearing. Your demand for a hearing must specify briefly the reasons why you think this Order should be changed. If your demand for a hearing is received by the Commissioner before the effective date of the revocation, then the revocation will be stayed (postponed) pending the hearing, pursuant to RCW 48.04.020. Upon receipt of your demand for hearing, you will be contacted by an assistant of the Chief Hearing Officer to schedule a teleconference with you and the Insurance Commissioner's Office to discuss the hearing and the procedures to be followed.

Please send any demand for hearing to Insurance Commissioner, attention Scott Jarvis, Deputy Insurance Commissioner, Office of the Insurance Commissioner, P.O. Box 40257, Olympia, WA 98504-0257.

ENTERED AT LACEY, WASHINGTON, this 16th day of September, 2002.

MIKE KREIDLER Insurance Commissioner

By

SCOTT JARVIS Deputy Commissioner

Investigator: Marianne Wise